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AT the Council-Chamber, *Whitehall*, the 27th of *Auguſt* 1752.

PRESENT,

The Lords of His Majeſty's moſt Honourable Privy-Council.

It was this Day Ordered in Council, That the Parliament, which ſtands prorogued to Thurſday the 28th Day of September next, ſhould be further prorogued to Tueſday the 31ſt Day of October following.

ABSTRACT of ſeveral Acts of Parliament, now in Force, which were made for preventing His Majeſty's Subjects from Trading to the Eaſt-Indies, under Foreign Commiſſions; and from being intereſted or concerned in any Foreign Eaſt-India Company to be erected.

BY the following Acts of Parliament now in Force, and which were made, for preventing His Majeſty's Subjects from Trading to the Eaſt-Indies under Foreign Commiſſions; and from being intereſted, or concerned, in any Foreign Eaſt-India Company, to be erected; it is enacted as follows, *viz.*

5*th Geo.* I. *Cap.* 21.] By an Act paſſed in the 5th Year of His late Majeſty King George the Firſt, all His Majeſty's Subjects, except thoſe Licenſed by the Eaſt-India Company, are prohibited from going to the Eaſt-Indies. — And to the End ſuch Offenders may be brought to Juſtice, the Eaſt-India Company are empowered to arreſt, and ſeize, ſuch Offenders in the Eaſt-Indies, and to ſend them to England, there to anſwer for the ſaid Offence; And every Britiſh Subject, who ſhall procure, ſollicit for, obtain, or act under, any Commiſſion, Authority, or Paſs, from any Foreign Prince, or State, to ſail, or go, or trade, in, or to the Eaſt-Indies, incurs, and forfeits, for every ſuch Offence, 500*l.*

7*th Geo.* I. *Cap.* 21.] By another Act paſſed in the 7th Year of His late Majeſty King George the Firſt, every Subject of His Majeſty, who ſhall go to, or ſhall Trade, or Adventure into, or from, the Eaſt-Indies, (contrary to the Laws in being,) and ſhall be convicted thereof, in any of His Majeſty's Courts of Record at Weſtminſter, is to pay, and ſuffer ſuch Fine, and Impriſonment, as the Court ſhall think fit.

And all the Goods, and Merchandize, that ſhall be bartered or traffick'd for, in the Eaſt-Indies or purchaſed there, by any ſuch Offenders, or that ſhall be found in his Cuſtody, or in the Cuſtody of any other Perſon, by his Order, or Procurement, are declared to be forfeited, with double the Value thereof.

9*th Geo.* I. *Cap.* 26.] By an Act paſſed in the 9th Year of His late Majeſty King George the Firſt, all His Majeſty's Subjects are prohibited from ſubſcribing, contributing to, encouraging, or promoting, the raiſing, eſtabliſhing, or carrying on, any Foreign Company, from, and after, the 24th Day of June, 1723, to be raiſed, formed, or erected, for Trading to the Eaſt-Indies, and from being intereſted in, or intitled to, any Share in the Stock, or Capital, of ſuch Foreign Company, under Forfeiture of all his, her, or their Intereſt, in the Capital, Principal, Stock, or Actions, of any ſuch Foreign Company, together with Treble the Value thereof.

And the Attorney-General is empowered to exhibit Bills of Complaint in the Court of Chancery, or Court of Exchequer, againſt ſuch Offenders, for the Diſcovery of ſuch Offence; which Diſcovery ſuch Offenders are obliged to make on the Attorney-General's waving in ſuch Bill, the ſaid Forfeiture of the Treble Value, and inſiſting only on the Single Value thereof; And in ſuch Caſe, the Single Value is to be decreed to be paid by ſuch Offender.

And that every Subject of His Majeſty accepting of any Truſt, or knowing of any Intereſt, Share, Part, Proportion, or Concern, which any other of His Majeſty's Subjects ſhall have, or be intitled to, in any ſuch Foreign Company; and who ſhall not, within Six Months, next after the Accepting ſuch Truſt, or coming to the Knowledge of ſuch Intereſt, Share, Proportion, or Concern, as aforeſaid, truly diſcover the ſame in Writing to the Eaſt-India Company, or their Court of Directors, ſhall forfeit Treble the Value of the Intereſt ſo accepted in Truſt, or ſo known and not diſcovered, as aforeſaid; and any Perſon making ſuch Diſcovery, is intitled to a Moiety of the Forfeiture.

And all His Majeſty's Subjects, (other than ſuch as are lawfully authorized thereunto,) going to, or found in the Eaſt-Indies, are declared guilty of a High Crime, and Miſdemeanor, and are made liable to Corporal Puniſhment, Impriſonment, or Fine, for the ſame, at the Diſcretion of ſuch of His Majeſty's Courts of Record

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cord at Weſtminſter, where the Proſecution for ſuch Offence ſhall be commenced.

And every Perſon ſo offending may be ſeized, and brought to England, and committed to Goal there, by any one of His Majeſty's Juſtices of the Peace, until ſufficient Security be given by Natural-born Subjects or Denizens, to appear in the Court, where ſuch Proſecution ſhall be commenced, to anſwer the ſame, and not depart without Leave of the Court.

3*d Geo.* II. *Cap.* 14.] By an Act paſſed in the 3d Year of His preſent Majeſty, it is Enacted, That if any of His Majeſty's Subjects (other than the Eaſt-India Company, and thoſe licenſed by them) ſhall directly, or indirectly, go to, trade, or adventure into, or from, the Eaſt-Indies, every ſuch Offender ſhall incur the Forfeiture, and Loſs, of all the Ships, and Veſſels, employed in ſuch Voyage, Trade, or Adventure; and alſo all the Goods laden thereupon, or that were ſent to, acquired, traded, or adventured, within the Eaſt-Indies, and all the Proceed, and Effects, of the ſame, and Double the Value thereof.

Naples, Aug. 15. The King is returned to the Palace in this City from the Iſland of Procida, whither he went laſt Week to take the Diverſion of Hunting; and his Majeſty has already declared his Intention of going thither again in a few Days, if the Weather continues fair. On Wedneſday laſt a Gang of Thirty Robbers, who were lately apprehended in the Abruzzo, were brought under a ſtrong Guard to this City, and committed to Priſon. The Commerce of this Kingdom continues ſtill free from Interruption, the Maſters of the Veſſels that have lately arrived in this Port, not having heard of any Barbary Corſairs being on the Coaſt. They write from Apulia, that, on the 10th Inſtant, they had a moſt violent Storm of Hail and Rain, accompanied with Thunder and Lightening, in ſeveral Places of that Province, and that the Damage cauſed thereby is very conſiderable.

Rome, Aug. 19. On Thurſday laſt, being the Anniverſary of the Pope's Advancement to the Papal Chair, he was complimented thereupon by Cardinal Delci, in the Name of the Sacred College. The Congregation de Propaganda Fide have lately received Letters from their Miſſionaries in the Kingdom of Thibet, with the agreeable News, that they have been very ſucceſsful in their Endeavours of converting thoſe Infidels to the Chriſtian Faith; but the Advices they have lately received from their Miſſionaries in China, are not altogether ſo favourable. Cardinal Spinola, who went ſome Time ſince to Albano, for the Sake of his Health, is ſo extremely ill, that his Phyſicians have very little Hopes of his Recovery. Our Letters by this Day's Poſt are full of melancholly Accounts of Earthquakes that happened the Beginning of this Week in ſeveral Places of the Eccleſiaſtical State, which have done an infinite deal of Damage; and particularly at Civitta Caſtellana, where ſeveral of the Inhabitants have had the Misfortune to be buried under the Ruins of their Houſes.

Modena, Aug. 23. Yeſterday his Serene Highneſs the Duke our Sovereign, who has been at Rivalta for theſe two Months paſt, arrived here from thence with the whole Court. We are informed by our laſt Advices from Genoa, that the Great and Little Council have aſſembled there for two or three Days together, on the Affairs of Corſica; as alſo to conſider of the Invitation they have lately received to accede to the Treaty of Madrid; but we do not as yet hear of their having come to any final Reſolution thereupon.

Stockholm, Aug. 25. The Court having been informed, that the Sieur Sprenger, who, during the Holding the late Diet, was baniſhed for Life to Marſtrand, has made his Eſcape from thence, have ordered the Council of Juſtice to make the ſtricteſt Enquiry into that Affair, in order, if it ſhall be found neceſſary, to puniſh thoſe who had the Care of him.

Copenhagen, Aug. 29. The King arrived here Yeſterday Morning from Jagerſpreys; to Day he gave ſome private Audiences; and Tomorrow his Majeſty ſets out for Friedensbourg. No Day is as yet fixed for the Queen's publick Entry into this City, but the Preparations neceſſary for that ſolemn Occaſion, are ſtill carrying on with great Diligence.

Vienna, Aug. 29. This Morning his Imperial Majeſty, accompanied by Prince Averſperg, and ſome others of the principal Nobility, ſet out for Hollitſch, where he propoſes ſtaying till the 6th of next Month. We are aſſured, that the Regiment of Huſſars of Prince Eſterhaſi is ordered to march into Italy, in order to relieve the Regiment of Cuiraſſiers of Saxe Gotha, which is to return into Hungary.

Hanau, Sept. 2. The Landgrave of Heſſe Caſſel, our Sovereign, came to this City on Wedneſday laſt, with a numerous Retinue. He was received by the City Militia under Arms, and ſaluted at his Entrance by a triple Diſcharge of the Artillery upon the Ramparts. And, after dining with our Governor, and viewing the Fortifications, he ſet out in the Evening on his Return to Philipsruhe.

Bruſſels, Sept. 3. The Commiſſaries appointed for ſettling the Barrier and Tariff, having receiving ſome Inſtructions from their reſpective Courts, held their eighth Conference in this City on Thurſday laſt. Prince Charles of Lorrain, our Governor General, intends to ſet out the End of this Week for Ghent, and ſome other Places in Flanders. 'Tis ſaid our Regency are going to lay a Duty upon all Foreign Paper that ſhall be brought into this Country, and that an Edict is actually in the Preſs for that Purpoſe. M. Limpens, one of the Members of the Privy Council, is ſet out, by order of our Governor General, for Liege, in order to regulate, with the Deputies of the States of that Principality, ſome Affairs relating to Commerce.

Cologn, Sept. 4. A few Days ago, four notorious Highwaymen, who were apprehended at an Inn near Kerpen, were brought from thence, under a ſtrong Guard, to the Priſons in this City; and as they belong to a numerous Gang that have lately formed themſelves in this Country, 'tis hoped they will ſoon make great Diſcoveries. We learn from Eyſenach, that towards the End of laſt Month, the Waters roſe ſo high, occaſioned by the late great Rains, that the River Neſſe overflowed its Banks in many Places,

Places, and laid great Part of the adjacent Country under Water; that the Rapidity of the Stream was ſo ſudden and ſo great, as to deſtroy moſt of the Bridges upon that River; and that ſeveral People, who lived near its Banks, were drowned, with moſt of their Cattle.

Duſſeldorp, Sept. 5. According to our laſt Advices from Bonn, the Elector of Cologn was daily expected there from his Journey into Weſtphalia. The Deſertion amongſt the Troops in this Garriſon is become more frequent of late than ever; and, by our beſt Accounts, the greateſt Part of them take the Road to Weſel, and enter into the Service of the King of Pruſſia.

Hague, Sept. 7. Count Bentinck, who has been for ſome Time at his Seat in Guelderland, is returned here, and aſſiſts regularly at the Aſſembly of their High Mightineſſes the States General. We have received Advice this Morning from Germany, that the Elector of Cologn is ſafe arrived at Auguſtebourg, from the Journey his Electoral Highneſs has lately taken into Weſtphalia.

Sept. 16, 1752.

The Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England give Notice, That a General Court will be held at the Bank on Thurſday next the 21ſt Inſtant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, to conſider of a Dividend; which will be alſo one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by the Charter.

Robert Lewin, *Secretary.*

South-Sea Houſe, London, Sept. 14, 1752.

The Court of Directors of the South-Sea Company give Notice, That a General Court of the ſaid Company will be held at their Houſe in Threadneedle-ſtreet, on Thurſday the 28th Inſtant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, being one of the Half Yearly General Courts appointed by the Charter; and to chuſe a Committee of Seven to inſpect the By-Laws.

Merchant Seamens Office, Royal Exchange.

A Quarterly General Court of the Preſident and Governors for Relief and Support of Maimed and Diſabled Seamen, and the Widows of ſuch as ſhall be Killed, Slain, or Drowned in the Merchants Service, will be held at this Office on Wedneſday the 27th of September inſtant, at Eleven of the Clock.

By Order of the Preſident and Committee,

Dan. Campbell, *Secretary.*

This is to give Notice to the Officers and Seamen, lately belonging to the Tygreſs Privateer when John Hamley was Commander, that the Prize Money for the ſundry Prizes taken by him will be paid them in full, on Tueſday the 19th of September next, at the Sign of the Three Mariners on the New Back, Briſtol.

Advertiſements.

WHereas Joſeph Dennis, Apprentice to Mr. Brown, a Jeweller in Church-ſtreet in the Pariſh of St. Ann's, did on Sunday laſt abſcond with his ſaid Maſter; and as there is Reaſon to apprehend that ſeveral unlawful Methods have been uſed, in order to get away the ſaid Joſeph Dennis, againſt his Conſent, out of the Kingdom; This is to give Notice, That any Perſon or Perſons, who will ſtop the ſaid Dennis, and will bring him to Capt. Cayran, at Old Slaughter's Coffee-houſe in St. Martin's-Lane, ſhall be handſomely rewarded for the ſame: And all Maſters of Veſſels are hereby cautioned, at their Peril, againſt aſſiſting in conveying away, out of the Kingdom, the ſaid Joſeph Dennis.

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WIlliam Goodacre, Servant to Samuel Daſhwood, LL. D. of Wellins, Lincolnſhire, being at Bath on the 25th Day of March laſt, was ſeiz'd with the Small-Pox, of a very mild and favourable Sort, which turn'd the ſeventh Day after the Eruption, and went off in the moſt deſirable Manner; but about the ſecond Day after the Eruption, he was ſeized with a Delirium or Phrenſy, which roſe to ſuch a Height, that he foam'd at the Mouth, refuſed all Liquors, and endeavour'd to bite the Attendants. This made two eminent Phyſicians, that attended him, ſuſpect, that, beſides the Small Pox, he had that Diſtemper which ariſes from the Bite of a mad Dog. For this Reaſon they endeavour'd to give him the Tonquin Remedy, but could not get him to take it. When the Small-Pox was entirely over, the Delirium ſtill continuing in a violent Manner, all proper Meaſures were uſed to remove it, but in vain; and, at laſt, the Phyſicians left him as incurable. In this State he took, — once, two whole Papers of Dr. James's Fever Powder, after which he ſlept half an Hour, and awaked in violent Ravings. The Powders having no viſible Effect, he took another whole Paper two Hours after the firſt; after which he ſlept again, and awaked in the ſame Way: This Paper likewiſe had no Effect. In two Hours after he took a fourth whole Paper which, in about half an Hour, operated by purging. His Ravings after this grew leſs violent, and he eat and drank every thing they gave him. He continued taking the Powders three Times a Day for three or four Days; after which the Cataplaſms ordered in the Directions for taking theſe Powders, were applied to his Feet, as alſo a Bliſter to his Head, and upon taking the Powders twice a Day for a Week more, he perfectly recovered both his Senſes and his Health. Dr. Daſhwood eſteeming this Cure worthy the Notice of the Publick has ordered it to be inſerted in this Paper.

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